

Senate Resolution 766

By: Senators Hill of the 4th and Williams of the 19th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending Mr. Eldred Tippins, Jr., on his over 40 years of service to Evans County
2 Hospital; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Eldred Tippins, Jr., has honorably served Evans County Hospital for over
4 40 years; and

5 WHEREAS, Mr. Tippins was first appointed to the original Hospital Authority of Evans
6 County in 1965, two years before the opening of the hospital; and

7 WHEREAS, since 1996, he has served as Board Chairman of the Hospital Authority and
8 Governing Board; and

9 WHEREAS, as a direct result of his dedication and leadership, the hospital has for its entire
10 history been a recognized leader among small, rural community hospitals; and

11 WHEREAS, thanks to Mr. Tippins's keen foresight and insistence on patient service, the
12 citizens of Evans and surrounding counties have had state-of-the-art medical equipment,
13 unequaled in small, rural community hospitals; and

14 WHEREAS, Mr. Tippins has worked tirelessly to see that Evans County Hospital is staffed
15 by the most superb medical professionals, including visiting specialists from surrounding
16 larger communities; and

17 WHEREAS, modern, efficient, and aesthetically pleasing medical facilities have always been
18 available due to his strong guidance in the critical area of plant expansions and capital
19 attainment; and

1 WHEREAS, in honor of his great achievements, Mr. Tippins has been awarded the Georgia
2 Hospital Association's Distinguished Service Award for 2006; and

3 WHEREAS, Mr. Tippins's dedication, professionalism, and vision have led Evans County
4 Hospital to the heights of accomplishments and have assured the citizens of this area the very
5 best in health care services.

6 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
7 join in commending Mr. Eldred Tippins, Jr., for his invaluable service to Evans County
8 Hospital and thank him for his outstanding contributions to health care in Georgia.

9 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
10 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to Mr. Eldred Tippins, Jr.